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HOPE FOR EARLY SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE IS LESS BRIGHT

ALLIES CLAIM FURTHER GAINS UPON ENTENTE

Italians Approach to Within 13 Miles of Trieste and City Suburbs Burn

DREADNOUGHT BLOWS UP WHILE IN PORT

British and Russians Both Report Gains on Western and Eastern Fronts

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
GENEVA, Switzerland, Aug. 15.—The Italian advance guard is now moving southeast from Gorizia and is within 13 miles from Trieste, whence recently the greater part of the Austrian battle fleet sailed for an unknown destination. According to a message from Buchs, the suburbs of Tolmino are in flames, and the city is expected to fall into Italian hands at any moment.

ITALIAN CRUISER TAKES FIRE IN PORT

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
PARIS, France, Aug. 15.—Italians have entered the suburbs of Tolmino, and the Austrians are hurriedly evacuating the city. The Italian dreadnought Leonardo Davinci caught fire in the harbor of Taranto, and blew up at her moorings. The dispatch telling of the disaster, which is undated, says 400 men were drowned when the vessel turned on her side after the explosion. It is believed she can be righted and refloated. German first line trenches to a width of 300 yards and 100 yards deep have been captured at the intersection of the Fleury-Vaux roads, on the right bank of the Meuse, near Verdun.

BRITISH FORCES MAKE GAINS ON WEST FRONT

BERLIN, Germany, Aug. 15.—Official—British troops have gained a foothold on the first line trenches at Thiépval, on the Pozieres front. After severe fighting a French attack on Maurepas was repulsed. An attack by Russians in the Stripa sector was likewise thrown back.

RUSSIANS SLASH WAY THROUGH GALICIA

PETROGRAD, Russia, Aug. 15.—The Slav armies continue their rapid advance through Galicia. Troops have crossed the western banks of Zlota-Lipa and advancing on Rystritza-Solevina, on the upper Stripa, says official headquarters despatch.

GERMANS LOSE TO BRITISH AT POZIERES

LONDON, Eng., Aug. 15.—Nearly all of the trenches northwest of Pozieres, which have been the scene of some bloody fighting, and which the Germans captured on Sunday, have been retaken.

ITALIAN SHIP SUNK IN MEDITERRANEAN

LONDON, Eng., Aug. 15.—The Italian steamer Teti is reported sunk in the Mediterranean. Part of the crew has been landed at Genoa.

FRANCE'S WAR BILL 39 BILLION FRANCS

PARIS, France, Aug. 15.—France's war bill to the end of July has reached the enormous total of 39 billion francs.

AUSTRIANS BEATEN ON ISONZO FRONT

ROME, Italy, Aug. 15.—Italian army headquarters reports further Austrian reverses east of Gorizia, along the Isonzo front.

Additional Telegraph Despatches published on Page 9.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET TODAY

Following are the closing prices of stocks on the New York market today, sent by the Associated Press over the Federal Wireless:

	Today.	Yesterday.
Alaska Gold	17 1/2	17 1/2
Amalgamated Smelter	98 1/4	93 3/4
American Sugar Rfg.	110	109
American Tel. & Tel.	130 1/4	130 1/4
Anconda Copper	83 1/2	83 1/2
Atchafalpa	103 1/2	103 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	76 1/4	73 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	87 1/2	86 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	46 1/2	46 1/2
Calif. Petroleum	18 1/4	19 1/2
Canadian Pacific	178	176 1/2
C. & M. St. P. (St. Paul)	95	94 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron	45 1/4	44 1/2
Cruickshank Steel	72 1/2	71 1/4
Erie Common	36 1/4	36 1/4
General Electric	170	170 1/4
General Motors	118 1/2	118 1/2
Great Northern Pfd.	118 1/2	118 1/2
Inter. Harv., N. J.	116	113 1/2
Kennecott Copper	45 1/2	49 1/2
Lehigh R. R.	79 1/2	78 1/2
New York Central	104 1/2	104 1/2
Pennsylvania	56	55 1/2
Ray Consol.	24 1/2	24 1/2
Southern Pacific	98 1/2	98 1/2
Studebaker	131 1/4	128 1/2
Tennessee Copper	25 1/2	25
Union Pacific	140 1/2	139 1/2
U. S. Steel	89	88 1/2
U. S. Steel Pfd.	118	118 1/2
Utah	81 1/4	80 1/2
Western Union	93 1/4	94
Westinghouse	59 1/4	58 1/2

*Bid. †Ex-dividend. ‡Unquoted.

PROHIBITION IN HAWAII TO WAIT ANOTHER YEAR

Senate Votes Down Ruling of Marshall on Amendment By Three to One

By C. S. ALBERT.

(Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 4.—The last hope for prohibition in the territory of Hawaii has gone glimmering for this year. There will be no action by Congress, either in the direction of positive restrictions or reference to the people of an indication of sentiment. The abandonment of the Sheppard proposition has thrown the matter over for disposition at the short session.

It is true the various senate and house bills providing for prohibition in Hawaii never have reached the stage of actual consideration. The best chance seemed to be a short cut instead of the longer journey around the township. The Sheppard plan arranged drastic prohibition for the district of Columbia. A brief amendment including Hawaii would have been added at the proper time whenever this bill came to the last stages. It was pressed with great vigor by Mr. Sheppard.

Within the last few days it seemed almost certain that the Sheppard bill would come to a test vote, being offered as an amendment to the district of Columbia appropriation bill. The opening was afforded when Vice-President Marshall held that another amendment, ordinarily held to be not germane, was in order. This greatly enheartened the advocates of temperance. The anti of the capital city were so taken by storm and surprise that they largely augmented the internal revenue receipts. It was naturally believed that if the one amendment stuck providing prohibition it would come to a decisive vote. And with it Hawaii would have been dry or wet.

It turned out that a vast proportion of senators did not agree with the vice-president that outside amendments were in order. More than three to one they voted the proposition pronounced in order. Senator Sheppard immediately permitted it to become known that no further efforts for prohibition in Washington would be made until Congress reassembles next December.

Thus endeth another legislative chapter.

RUSSIANS OCCUPY CARPATHIAN TOWN

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
LONDON, England, Aug. 15.—According to a Reuter's despatch from the Russian capital today, Czar Nicholas' forces have occupied Jablonitza, an important town in the Carpathians.

KAISER LEAVES FOR VISIT TO EAST FRONT

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
BERLIN, Germany, Aug. 15.—It was learned here today that the kaiser has gone to the eastern front after a visit of several days with the troops fighting along the Somme under the Crown Prince.

BRECKONS HOME WITH 'DOPE' ON NEXT ELECTION

Situation Change May Turn Tide in Favor of Either Hughes or Wilson

PRESIDENT'S POLICY ON MEXICO IS 'MESS' UP

Declares Talk of Commission Government for Territory is 'All Tommyrot'

"So far as Hawaii is concerned, if there is to be any change in the form of the territory's government—and I made numerous investigations on this subject—it will be in the nature of more liberal home rule, and all this talk of finally having a commission form of government is tommyrot," declares Robert W. Breckons, Republican national committeeman, who returned to Honolulu in the Matsonia after an extensive tour of the mainland.

While on his trip Breckons was accompanied by Mrs. Breckons and their daughter. They visited in Washington, D. C., New York City, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, Chicago and Cheyenne, Wyo., Breckons' old home. "Wyoming will be Republican," he says. "And if they elect a Republican our congressman from there will be the house leader."

The national committeeman is very optimistic regarding the outcome of the presidential election. He says that while traveling across the continent he took advantage of the opportunity to talk with people in all walks of life, as well as with many leaders in politics, and the general opinion is, he adds, that, unless there is a change in the present situation, Hughes will be elected.

"The Mexican and European situations are so complex," he continues, "that a change in either situation might make the election of either Wilson or Hughes sure. Who is going to be the next president is all a big guess just now. But if the election was to be held tomorrow, Hughes would be elected."

Breckons talked with Hughes a few minutes in New York City, but the latter said nothing more than to ask a few questions regarding conditions in Hawaii and to accept the support of the local Republican party. William R. Wilcox, chairman of the national committee, was interviewed by Breckons and R. O. Matheson, editor of the Advertiser.

"Mr. Wilcox is deeply interested in matters pertaining to Hawaii, and showed a rather unexpected knowledge of our conditions here," says Breckons.

In the opinion of the national com-

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KALIHU PROJECT WILL BE PASSED IN NEXT SESSION

Forbes Says Senators Favor Greater Harbor; Utilities Bill Now Approved

Congress at its next session will put through the entire Kalihui harbor project. This is the belief of Charles R. Forbes, superintendent of public works, who returned from Washington today.

"I talked with senators and congressmen and was told by them that they favored the proposition and wanted to see Hawaii get the appropriation for a greater harbor at this port. I was advised by them that the project will be put through at the next session of Congress, and the appropriation will be several millions of dollars."

Concerning the proposed military road around Oahu, Forbes said he was sure that the million-dollar appropriation would have been made had the territory possessed money sufficient to make the survey. "The federal government has appropriated \$10,000 for a survey, and next session we should get the appropriation," he said. Local army men later today stated that territorial officials could not have made a suitable survey as the route of the road, intended for military purposes, could only have been laid out by a board of army engineers and officers to be of military value.

Concerning the Kilanua national park, Forbes said he talked with Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane and Public Lands Commissioner Tolman, and that both were enthusiastic over the project. He added that he understands a small appropriation has also been made for the park, to

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Late News At A Glance

WILSON WILL NOT MAKE EXTENDED CANVASS.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 15.—It is understood here that President Wilson will not make any extended canvass of the country in his campaign for reelection to the office of chief executive, but will limit his public appearances to places where he has been specially invited to speak.

CONFEREES AGREE ON NAVAL ITEMS
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 15.—The house today adopted all the amendments to the naval appropriation bill agreed on by the senate and house conferees, and immediately proceeded to vote on the big building program and the increase of personnel, which evidently the conference was unable to settle amicably. The speedy passage of the bill is predicted.

ACCUSE HUGHES OF WAVING BLOODY SHIRT
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 15.—In the upper chamber, Senator Hardwick of Georgia, replying to Candidate Charles E. Hughes' reference to the preponderance of Southern members as chairmen of committees, accused Hughes of "waving a bloody shirt to stir up sectional prejudices."

UTILITIES COMMISSION POSTPONES MEETING
Because Chairman Charles R. Forbes, who returned this morning from the mainland, was too busy with other matters to attend, the public utilities commission has postponed its weekly meeting to 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. It was to have been held this afternoon.

NAGASAKI HAS 40 CHOLERA CASES IN DAY
(Special Cable to Hawaii Shiping)
TOKIO, Japan, Aug. 15.—Cholera has spread all over the prefectures of Nagasaki, Kumamoto and Kanagawa. At Nagasaki, 40 new cases of the dreadful disease were reported, and other districts have been visited by the malady. More than 50 patients have already been taken to the quarantine.

NEW YORK TEAMS WIN FROM BOTH QUAKER SQUADS

Giants Win From Quakers 6 to 2; Yankees Win From Athletics By Same Score

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
NEW YORK, N. Y., Aug. 15.—Both New York teams scored six runs each today. Both Philadelphia teams scored two runs each, and both New York teams won victories over the Philadelphia squads. The Yankees won from the Athletics, the Yankees tied the Browns for fifth place in the American League. The Braves won from the leaders and are now trailing by three games.

Tomorrow the Western teams of the American League invade the East in the last tour of the year. Boston will entertain the Chicago White Sox for four days. Detroit will meet the Washington team. St. Louis will stand a chance of making a fight for the first division, as it meets the Athletics, while Cleveland will play in New York. The results of the games today were as follows:

AMERICAN LEAGUE
At New York—New York 6, Philadelphia 2.
At Boston—Boston 0, Washington 6 (twelfth inning).
NATIONAL LEAGUE
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh 1, St. Louis 0.
At Brooklyn—Boston 4, Brooklyn 1.
At Philadelphia—New York 6, Philadelphia 2.
At Cincinnati—Rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Won. Lost. Pct.
Boston 62 45 57.9
Cleveland 62 47 56.9
Chicago 61 49 55.5
Detroit 60 52 53.6
St. Louis 57 52 52.3
New York 57 52 52.3
Washington 52 54 49.1
Philadelphia 22 83 21.0

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Won. Lost. Pct.
Brooklyn 63 38 62.4
Boston 59 40 59.6
Philadelphia 59 43 57.8
New York 53 49 52.0
Pittsburgh 45 55 45.0
Chicago 46 60 43.4
St. Louis 47 63 42.8
Cincinnati 43 67 39.1

PRINCE KANIN WILL VISIT RUSSIA'S CZAR

(Special Cable to Hawaii Shiping)
TOKIO, Japan, Aug. 14.—It is officially announced that Prince Kaninomiya will leave Japan September 10, representing Emperor Yoshihito, and visiting the czar of Russia. It is also announced that the prince will inspect the Russian line in the war zone after he greets the czar.

Notification of Wilson Set For September 2

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 15.—President Wilson, it is understood, will receive formal notification of his renomination as the Democratic choice for the presidency at Long Branch, N. J., on September 2.

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REPRESENTATIVES OF UNIONS HOLD CONFERENCES AND WILL MEET AGAIN

Order That No More Militia Be Sent to Mexican Border, But Remain in Mobilization Camps, is Considered Measure of Precaution Against Failure to Reach Agreement

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 15.—The feeling of optimism existing yesterday over the prospects of a peaceful outcome of the railroad dispute seems to be absent today.

President Wilson again held a long conference with the representatives of the railroad brotherhoods, discussing the situation from all angles in an endeavor to bring about an understanding between the disputing factions. There will probably be another meeting tomorrow, when it is hoped some grounds for a common agreement may be found.

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 15.—Critical in the extreme is the situation today in the railroad controversy. That the administration is alive to the gravity of the hour is shown by the issuing by the war department of orders suspending the transference of the remaining units of National Guardsmen called out for duty on the Mexican border, and directing that for the present they remain in the mobilization camps. It is believed here that the threatened strike of railroad men is the factor behind the countermarching of militia orders, though there has been no official explanation as to why the troops are being held. That they will be used in the event of trouble is the generally accepted theory here.

President Wilson is continuing his efforts to bring about an amicable settlement and avoid a national disaster. At the conference with the railroad managers, it is understood the proposal whereby the employers would accept the principle of an eight hour day was considered, leaving the working out of the details and the other demands of the men to the offices of the interstate commission or some other body formed for the purpose of bringing the dispute to speedy settlement.

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—The crisis in the railroad situation was reached in this city on June 15, last, when the conference between the representatives of 236 railroad systems in the United States and 400,000 employees failed to arrive at an adjustment of their differences. The conference began June 1 following the presentation on March 30 of demands by the men for an eight-hour day and time and a half overtime.

It had been hoped that the conference might make unnecessary the taking of a strike vote by referring the questions at issue to arbitration. After hearing the demands of the unions, however, the railroads declined to make a counter proposal and dismissed the subject by offering to refer the dispute to arbitration. The men's eight-hour demand but refused all others.

Tentative Offer Declined.
The unions declined to consider the "tentative" offer and the railroads then suggested placing their differences before the Interstate Commerce Commission for decision, or if that body was without authority, that both sides join in petitioning Congress to grant the necessary power. If this proved unsatisfactory to the unions the railroads suggested arbitration under the Newlands Act.

The men rejected the two propositions. Their spokesman, A. B. Garretson, president of the Order of Railway Conductors, in an impassioned speech said that the men would never consent to arbitration because of the failure of the unions to obtain justice in prior disputes through that method. Reference Vote Called.

The leaders of the four unions, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, and the Order of Railway Conductors, upon withdrawing from the conference lost no time in calling for a referendum vote.

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GARRISON OF
JAPANESE IS
BADLY CUT UP

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 15.—The attack on the Japanese garrison at Chen-chiatu by Chinese soldiers has stirred officials here, and it is freely predicted that difficulties between the two Oriental powers may assume serious proportions. Japanese reinforcements are being rushed to the district, which leads to the belief that Japan will handle in a vigorous manner any action that disputes her jurisdiction in China.

TEUTON DIVER BUSY IN ENGLISH CHANNEL; SINKS SIXTEEN SHIPS

BERLIN, Germany, Aug. 14.—From August 2 until the 10th, a German submarine sank in the English channel 7 English and 3 French sailing ships, and 3 English and 2 French steamers. The submarine on August 13, in the English channel, sank the English destroyer Lassou.

ATTRIBUTE CAUSE OF SUICIDE TO INSANITY

(Special Cable to Hawaii Hoch)
TOKIO, Japan, Aug. 15.—Maj. Tamura, the attaché of the Japanese embassy at the Court of St. James, who committed hara-kiri, is reported to have been temporarily insane when he committed the deed. He had been especially busy in his duties because of the war. He had met with an automobile accident, was thrown from the machine and hurt his head. Insanity is attributed to have resulted.

FIVE HOLES ARE SHOT BY WOMAN INTO FILIPINO

Victim Probably is Fatally Injured; Assailant Alleges She Defended Herself

Alejandro Castro, a Filipino, was shot probably fatally, about 9:30 this morning at Waipahu by a countrywoman, Eleanor Rojas, who admits the deed, claiming self-defense. The man has been removed to the Waipahu hospital with five holes in his intestines, caused by a single bullet. Little hope is entertained for his recovery. The woman was brought to Honolulu by Detective Sergeant John Kellest and Detective Olampo, who investigated the case, and is being held at the police station.

Kellest said this afternoon that the woman told her the man entering her room in a private house in Waipahu and tried to assault her. She drew the pistol and shot him to defend herself, she says.

Castro did laundry work for the Filipino camp near Waipahu. According to the woman it was the first time she had seen him. Neighbors who heard the shot warned the Waipahu plantation officials, who in turn informed the police.

Castro is a middle-aged man and unmarried. The Star-Bulletin was informed over the telephone at 3 o'clock this afternoon by an official of the Waipahu plantation that the Filipino was still alive and conscious but it was expected to live. He was operated upon, but the bullet has not been found. The plantation man says Castro tells a story of going to the woman's house this morning with some laundry and being encouraged to return. Doing so and making love to the woman, he was shot, he says.

Young Writes, Will Not Return To Postoffice

William F. Young, postmaster at Honolulu, will not return to his post here, according to a letter received this morning by Thomas Flavin, U. S. postoffice inspector, from Young. Young is now at his home in Altapass, N. C., and his letter simply says, "Please give my respects to the postoffice employees as I find it is impossible for me to return to Honolulu." No reason was given in the letter for his decision not to return to Honolulu. He left here last May because of the illness of his wife and at that time said that he hoped he would be able to be back here in August. Now that it is known Young will not come back Wm. C. Peterson, assistant postmaster, will assume the office of acting postmaster until further advice from Washington.